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DOE/019/031

July 6, 1995

TO: Minerals File

FROM: Tony Gallegos, Reclamation Engineer *da*

RE: Site Inspection, Clive Stewart/Ila Stewart Site, NO CURRENT DOGM FILE NUMBER (DOE/019/031, UTU-69828), Grand County, Utah

Date of Inspection: June 27, 1995  
Time of Inspection: 16:25 - 16:50  
Conditions: Partly cloudy, hot  
Participants: Sal Venticinque, BLM Grand RA; Tony Gallegos, DOGM

Purpose of Inspection: To evaluate the current status of the site which involves BLM, and private lands.

Access to this site is usually restricted by a locked gate. During this inspection, the gate was not locked. Sal had contacted the current claimants Ila Stewart Box 1126, Monticello, UT 84535 and Warren C. Stewart 1245 Knutson, Moab, UT 84532, requesting access prior to our inspection,. Clive Stewart was the original claimant; now his wife and son are the claimants.

This site is visible from the Colorado River. This site involves private as well as BLM lands. There is a section marker near the large erosion gully on the south end of the site. The marker is identified by a tall piece of white pvc pipe near an old refrigerator (see photos).

On the private section, section 16, there is deep backhoe trench. This trench is open and would constitute a safety hazard. There is an abandoned car and old scraper body on the private portion of the site. There is also some assorted pvc pipe and metal debris on the private section.

On the BLM lands, there is a white pvc pipeline leading down to the riverbank. The BLM's portion is section 21. There is also a wooden loadout ramp, some type of metal hopper, assorted white pvc pipe, and various other metal and wood debris.



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There are no signs of recent activity at the site. Sal indicated a small wooden cabin or shack has been removed from the site; however, the rest of the trash and debris which was present during his last inspection has not been removed.

Photos were taken of the site to document the current status. Since the Division does not have a current permit on file for this inactive site, there may be no regulatory jurisdiction in requesting the operator to remedy the safety issues and clean up the site. {Check file D/019/031 Payday Placer}. Because this site is visible from the Colorado River corridor the operator may be required to remove the unsightly debris..

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cc: Ila Stewart, Claimant  
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